

REMARKS

Applicants have amended paragraph [0001] of the specification to recite "Serial No. 60/538,246" for the referenced U.S. Provisional Application filed January 23, 2004 and entitled "Methods for Prognosis and Treatment of Solid Tumors" (by Michael Burczynski, et al.), as noted in the application as filed. Applicants respectfully submit that this amendment is purely cosmetic and, therefore, does not introduce new matter. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request entry of this amendment.

Also submitted is an Application Data Sheet noting the above and a change in residential address of one of the inventors (Burczynski).

In addition, Applicants submit herewith a petition to accept an unintentionally delayed priority claim pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.78(a).

Applicants respectfully submit that this application is in condition for allowance. Favorable consideration and prompt allowance of the claims are earnestly solicited. Should the Examiner have any questions, the Examiner is invited to contact Applicants' undersigned representative at the telephone number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,



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